GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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ANTI-TERRORIST SPECIAL CELL
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether State Governments have special cells to counter terrorist activities in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, whether the Union Government proposes to issue uniform directions with regard to setting up of such cells; and

(d) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) to (d): Almost all States/UTs have set up anti-terrorist units/cells/task forces with trained personnel technical gadgetry including communication equipment and modern weaponry to effectively tackle the incidents of terrorism.